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In re Application of:

Tina M. Nocera et al.

Group Art Unit: 3624

Serial No.:

09/723,402

Examiner: Geoffrey R Akers

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November 26, 2000

For:

**METHOD FOR DEVELOPING ANSWER-OPTIONS TO
ISSUE-QUESTIONS RELATING TO PERSONAL
FINANCE AND INVESTMENT**

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

In response to the Office Action dated March 6, 2003 in the above-identified application, kindly amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

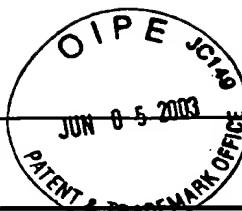
Rewrite claims 1, 6, 14, 19, 23, 27, and 32 as follows:

1. (Amended) A method of providing to a user a plurality of answer-options to an issue-question relating to personal finance and investment, in a computer having a processor, an input device, a memory storage device and an output device, said method comprising the steps of:

(a) identifying and storing in the memory storage device a plurality of topics relating to personal investment and finance;

(b) developing and storing in the memory storage device a plurality of issue-questions directed to each of the stored topics;

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER



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INVENTION:

METHOD FOR DEVELOPING ANSWER-OPTIONS TO ISSUE-QUESTIONS RELATING TO PERSONAL FINANCE AND INVESTMENT

INVENTOR(s): Tina M. Nocera et al.

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below.

CLAIMS AS AMENDED

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TOTAL CLAIMS	34	MINUS	34	0	X \$9	0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	8	MINUS	8	0	X \$42	0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0.00

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